Except for a few suites/apartments/ four-bedded rooms, the majority configuration of rooms in the above hotels cater to both single and double occupancy.

(c) As regards the number of rooms available in ITDC hotels during the 7th Plan period each year and the rooms actually made available to tourists in peak tourist season, the information is given in Annexure-II. (*See* Appendix CLVI, Annexure No. 25).

As regards number of rooms kept unutilised due to renovations, readjustments etc. etc., this information is not maintained as rooms are altso kept unutilised for other reasons, namely maintenance on account of minor defects etc. from time to time.

अनुकंपा के आधार पर नौकरी दिए जाने संबंधी लम्बित मामले

1077. **श्री राम नरेश यादव :** क्या कृषि मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) भारतीय पशु चिकित्सा अनुसंधान, संस्थान, इज्जतनगर (बरेली) में पिछले दो वर्ष से अनुकंपा के आधार पर नौकरी देने के कितने मामले लम्बित हैं ;

(ख) इस संबंध में अब तक क्या कार्रवाई की गई है , और

(ग) मृतक कर्मचारियों के आश्रितों को कब तक नौकरी दे दी जाएगी ?

कृषि मंत्रालय में कृषि और सहकारिता विभाग में राज्य मंत्री (श्री जयन्ती लाल बोरचंद भाई शाह) : (क) महोदय, भारतीय पशु चिकित्सा अनुसंधान, संस्थान इज्जतनगर (बरेली) में अनुकंपा के आधार पर नियुक्ति के लिए चार मामले लंबित हैं ।

(ख) और (ग) इन मामलों में ऊपरी आयु सीमा मे छूट देने की जरूरत थी, जिसकी अनुमति मिल गई है । इस संबंध मे शीघ्र ही आदेश जारी कर दिए जाएंगे

Visit of Foreign Tourists in Rajasthan

1078. SHRI RAMDAS AGARWAL: Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) the number of foreign tourists who visited India during 1989 and upto 30th October, 1990 particularly in Rajasthan and the amount of foreign exchange earned from them;

(b) whether Government have recently taken any decision to provide more facilities for the foreign tourists, if so, the details thereof, and

(c) whether Central Government have decided to invite the National Park Service of the U S A to prepare plans for the development of Mandore Gardens, Nagaur Fort, Gajner Sanctuary, Haldighati and Mount Abu etc. in Rajasthan?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TOURISM (SMT. USHA SINGH): (a) The number of foreign tourists who visited India and foreign exchange earned from them during 1989 and upto October, 1990, are as given below:

Year	No of foreign tourists including nationals of Pakistan and Bangladesh	Estimated Foreign exchange earnings from tourism (Rs. Crores)
1989	17,36,093	2,364
1990 (Upto Oct)	13,75,647	2,018

As per the information available from the State Government, the number of foreign tourists who visited Rajasthan during 1989 and upto April 1990, are as given below:

	number
1989 . . .	414,572
1990 . . . (upto April)	147,511

Arrivals for the later months and State-wise estimates of foreign exchange earnings are not available.

(b) The measures initiated by the Government to provide more facilities for the foreign tourists visiting India include liberalisation of charter policy, introduction of multi-entry visas for a period of 5 years, provision for the payment of visa fees by cheques|credit cards, improvement of tourist facilitation, relaxation of rules regarding restricted area pemits, upgradation of tourism infarstructural facilities, creation of money changing facilities in hotels and other establishments, etc The year 1991 has also been declared as "India Tourism Year" to improve the image of India, as a holiday destination.

(c) No, Sir

Implementation of DRDA in Pondicherry

1079. SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the DRDA programme implementation in Pondicherry has not reached the required target in the first half of the year 1990-91 and thereby the employment opportunities to be provided to the rural people are much affected; and

(b) if so, what steps Government are taking to achieve the target under DRDA in Pondicherry?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI RAM BAHADUR SINGH): (a) and (b) As against the Integrated Rural Development Programme (IRDP) target of 40 per cent for April-September 1990, physical and financial achievement of Pondicherry during the period were 8 37 per cent and 21.06 per cent res-

The Government of India have written to the Union Territory Administration pointing out unsatisfactory performance of IRDP in Pondicherry, and have urged the U.T Administration to take immediate steps for ensuring fulfilment of targets during the current year.

Setting up of Co- operative Sugar Factory in Pondicherry

1080 SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY· Will the Minister of FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES be pleased to state whether it is a fact that Pondicherry Government have applied for the licence to set up a Co-operative Sugar Factory in the Karaikal region?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (SHRI SARWAR HUSSAIN): No, Sir.

Disposal and development of Nazul lands in Delhi by Delhi Development Authority

1081 SHRI KRISHNA KUMAR BIRLA· Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that in January 1990 the Delhi Development Authority changed the criterian laid down for disposal and development of Nazul land rules 1981 without any proper amendment allegedly to favour certain housing societies;

(b) whether it is also a fact that Delhi Development Authority has also been offering land to the societies which were declared defunct in 1989;